THE PORTEOUS & MITCHELL COMPANY

Our Fortieth Great Annual Clearance Sale It Will Begin Thursday, January 2nd, 1913

On this page we give a partial list of January Sale Offerings in Ready-to-Wear Apparel -- for Men, Women and Children-the groatest values in Wearing Apparel ever offered by us or any other store hereabout. Scan every item on this page, then resolve to be on hand bright and early Thursday morning, January 2nd, prepared to take advantage of the Liberal Savings in these Departments.

Men's Suits

Men's Overcoats MEN'S WEAR Men's Furnishings

ALL AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. THE GREATEST MONEY-SAVING OCCA-SION OF THE ENTIRE YEAR IN MEN'S WEARABLES. NOTE CAREFULLY THESE GREAT REDUCTIONS—OUR OWN DEPENDABLE QUALITIES AT LIBERAL PRICE CONCESSIONS.



Men's Shirts, All Kinds

Men's Working Shirts, black and white check, black check and satine, blue cham-

Men's Flannel Shirts, in blue, gray At 79c-reduced from \$1.00 1.19—reduced from \$1.50

At \$1.69-reduced from \$2.00 Men's Negligee Shirts, in newest de- At At 42c—reduced from 50c At 79c—reduced from \$1.00 At \$1.29—reduced from \$1.50

Men's Night Wear

Boys' and Men's Flannelette Night Shirts.

Boys' at 39c from 50c Men's at 39c from 50c Men's at 69c from 75c Men's at 89c from \$1.00 Boys' and Men's Flannelette Pa

Boys' at 79c from \$1.00 Men's at 89c from \$1.00 Men's at \$1.19 from \$1.50

Men's Winter Underwear

At 39c-Men's Sanitary Fleecy-line Shirts and Drawers, value 50c. At 42c-Men's Medium and Heavy Weight Ribbed Shirts and Drawers, ecru color, value 50c At 59c-Men's Wooltex Fleecy-line Shirts and Drawers-"Wright's

At 59c-Men's Natural Wool and Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers, value 75: At 89c-Men's Natural and Camel

At \$1.19—Men's White and Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers, value \$1.50. At \$1.15 - Men's Fine Quality Egyptian Ribbed Union Suits, value \$1.50.

Winter Overcoats

Men's and Youths' Winter Overcoats all this season's newest styles, plair and fancy mixtures, made with con vertible or self collars. At these r

Noth and double texture-At \$4.95—reduced from \$6.50 At \$12.95—reduced from \$15.00 At \$14.95—reduced from \$20.00

Fur and Fur-lined Coats

Men's Plush-lined Kersey Men's Heavy Weight Dog-

Men's Fur-lined Coats, good quality Kersey shell, with Muskrat Fur Lining and Persian Lamb Collar, regular price \$60.00—Sale \$49.50

At \$ 7.50—reduced from \$10.00 At \$ 3.95—reduced from \$12.00 At \$12.95—reduced from \$15.00 At \$14.95—reduced from \$20.00

At \$1.29—reduced from \$1.00 At \$1.29—reduced from \$1.50

At 21c—Men's Heavy Wool Shaker Hosiery, in blue and natural wool, value 25:

Men's House Coats At 39c—Men's Best Quality Shaker Hosiery, in blue, brown and natural wool, value 50c. At \$4.95—reduced from \$ 5.00 At \$4.95—reduced from \$ 6.50 At \$7.95—reduced from \$10.00

Men's Suspenders At \$2.98—reduced from \$3.50 At \$4.19—reduced from \$5.00 At \$5.95—reduced from \$8.00 At \$8.95—from \$10.00 and \$12.00 At 19c-Men's Police and Fireman's Suspenders, regular price 25c. At 35c-Men's Suspenders, fine quali-

ty lisle webbing and calfskin ends, regular price 50c.

Men's Neckwear All the fashionable shapes and new est colors in Men's Neckwear— At 21c-reduced from 25c At 39c-reduced from 50c

Men's Hosiery, All Kinds

One case of Men's Fast Black Full-fashioned Half Hose, regular price 25c-

At 7c-Men's Hosiery, black, fancy colors and mixtures, value 10c.

At 10c-Men's Cotton Hosiery, black and fancy colors, value 12%c.

At 79c-reduced from \$1.00

Men's Winter Gloves

Woolen Gloves and Mittens in black and fancy mixtures-At 21c-reduced from 25c At 39c-reduced from 50c Men's Leather Gloves and Mittens

> At 21c-reduced from 25c At 39c-reduced from 50c At 79c-reduced from \$1,00

At \$7.50—reduced from \$10.00 At \$8.95—reduced from \$12.00 At \$12.75—reduced from \$15.00 At \$14.95—reduced from \$20.00 At \$19.50—from \$25,00 and \$30.00

Men's Rain Coats

These are of Rubber Cravenette

Men's Fur-lined, Plush-lined and Outside Fur Coats at substantial re Coats, with Astrachan collar, value \$12.00—Sale price. \$9.95 skin Fur Coats, regular prices \$25.00 and \$30.00— \$19.50

Men's Heavy Weight Nat-ural Raccoon Fur Coats, reg-ular price \$25.00—Sale price. \$19.50

Our entire stock of Men's and Youths' Winter Sults reduced-

Men's Working Trousers

At \$2.19—reduced from \$2.50

At 11c-Men's Woolen Hoslery, in Men's Dress Trousers 21c-Men's Cashmere Hoslery, black, Oxford and natural wool, value 25c.

At \$4.29—reduced from \$3.00 At \$4.29—reduced from \$5.00 At \$5.19—reduced from \$6.00

Men's Bath Robes

Men's Winter Caps

Golf Caps, with and without ear

At 39c—reduced from 50c At 69c—reduced from \$1.00 At \$1.15—reduced from \$1.50 Men's Fur Caps

At \$1.19—reduced from \$1.50 At \$1.69—reduced from \$2.00 Men's Scalskin Caps that sell regularly at \$5.00, re-

Men's Coat Sweaters

All the popular kinds, and all th

At \$1.98—from \$2.50 and \$3.00 At \$3.39—reduced from \$4.00 At \$4.19—reduced from \$5.00 At \$7.95—reduced from \$10.00

Boys' Overcoats BOYS' Sweaters Boys' Suits

These Offerings tell of most Liberal Reductions-Reductions that mean generous Moneysavings for all who take advantage of this Sale.

Boys' Winter Overcoats

Our entire stock is offered at the folwing price reductions-At \$ 1.95-reduced from \$ 3.00 At \$ 4.29-reduced from \$ 6.00

At \$ 6.29-reduced from \$ 8.00 At \$ 8.29-reduced from \$10.50 At \$10.29-reduced from \$14.09

Boys' Rubber Coats

At \$2.50 Boys' Rubber Coats, our regular \$3.00 Coats, reduced to \$2.56.

Boys' Juvenile Suits

At \$2.95-reduced from \$4.00 At \$4,95 reduced from \$6.50

Boys' Two-piece Suits

At \$1.95-reduced from \$ 8.00 At \$4.45-reduced from \$ 6.00 At \$6.45-reduced from \$ 8.00 At \$7.45-reduced from \$10.00 At \$9.45-reduced from \$12.00



Boys' Wool Blouses

Boys' Cotton Blouses

At 19c—reduced from 25c At 44c—reduced from 50c At 85c—reduced from 98c.

Boys' Knickerbocker Trousers At 39c—reduced from 50c At 59c—reduced from 75c At 95c—reduced from \$1.25

Toques and Caps At 39c-Children's Toques, reduced from 50c. At 49c-Boys' Toques, reduced from

At 59c-Women's Aviation Caps, value

luced in price. Boys' at \$5c from \$1.25.

Boys' at \$1.95 from \$2.50. Misses' at \$2.39 from \$3.00. Women's at \$2.39 from \$3.00. Women's at \$3.95 from \$5.00. Women's at \$4.95 from \$6.00.

Women's Knit Vests

At \$1.69-reduced from \$2.00

At 39c—Boys' Inside Fur Band Caps, reduced from 50c. At 49c-Boys' Inside Fur Band Caps,

Coat Sweaters Boys', Women's and Misses', all re

85c-reduced from \$1.00 At \$1.49-reduced from \$1.69

Winter Suits, Coats, Furs, Etc. LOOK AT THE SAVINGS! NOTE THE REDUCTIONS!

Women's, Misses' and Children's

Women's and Misses' Fur Sets and Coats

During the January Clearance Sale we will offer our entire stock of Fur Sets and Fur Coats at an average reduction of 25 per cent. Owing to the fact that in many instances there is only one of a kind, we do not mention items to avoid disappointment.

Fur Sets, including Black Coney, Persian Paw, Blue Bear, Siberian Wolf, Gray Fox, Raccoon, Red Fox, Etc., at \$6.98 to \$115.00.

Separate Muffs and Scarfs at \$3.00 to \$35.00.

Fur Coats, including Black and Natural Pony Skin, Near Seal, Caracul, Brown Coney, Marmot with plain and with



CLEARANCE PRICES ON TAILORED SUITS

Women's and Misses' Tailored Suits, our entire line that sold up to \$40.00—reduced \$24.98 Women's and Misses' Tailored Suits, our entire line that sold up to \$25.00—reduced \$15.00

Winter Coats Women's Plush Coats of "Salts Sealette," men's Plush Coats of Sails \$19.50—re- \$16.98 duced to Women's Plush Coats, of fine quality "Salts men's Plush Coats, of the quality Sealette," sizes 16 to 44, value \$25.00— \$21.50 reduced to Women's, Misses' and Juniors' Coats, Serges, Women's, Misses' and Juniors' Coats, Serges,

our entire line that sold up to 15.00-re-

Women's, Misses' and Juniors' Winter Coats,

Children's Winter Coats

Materials are Caracul, Plush, Chinchilla and Mix-At \$4.25-reduced from \$ 5.98 At \$5.95—reduced from \$ 7.98 At \$7.50—reduced from \$10.98 At \$8.95-reduced from \$15.00 At \$1.98-Children's Rain Capes, in navy and red,

regular price \$2.50.

Women's Dress Skirts At \$3.98-An odd lot of Women's Dress Skirts in mixtures-Sale price \$3.98. Women's Dress Skirts, in black and navy serge, mixtures and corduroys—Skirts \$4.98 that sell at \$5.50 and \$5.98—reduced to..

Women's Evening Coats

Beautiful Afternoon and Evening Coats, of Silk Velour and Bengaline-our own direct importation. Four at \$35.00 from \$45.00 One at \$39.00 from \$49.00

Two at \$43.00 from \$55.00

Women's Wrappers

House Dresses, at these prices-At 85c-reduced from \$1.00 At \$1.29-reduced from \$1.50 At \$1.69-reduced from \$2.00

Children's Muslin Gowns Ages 4 to 14 years At 44c—reduced from 50c At 59c—reduced from 75c At 89c—reduced from \$1.00

Children's Muslin Drawers

Women's Corsets

At 121/2c-reduced from 15c

At 21c-reduced from 25c

At 39c-Women's Corsets, short, me dium and long, from 50c.
All \$1.06 Corsets at 89c
All \$1.50 Corsets at \$1.39
All \$2.06 Corsets at \$1.79

Women's Dress Hats

Trimmed Outing Hats

Women's Dress Hats that sold up to 98c \$3.98-reduced to 98c

Women's Dress Hats that sold up to \$2.98

Women's Dress Hats that sold up to \$4.98

Children's and Misses' Trimmed Outing Hats that sold up to 98c-reduced to 25c

Women's Petticoats of Black Satteen-

MILLINERY

At 85c—reduced from \$1.00 At \$1.29—reduced from \$1.50 At \$1.69—reduced from \$2.00 At \$2.69—reduced from \$3.00

Women's Taffeta Silk and Messaline Petticoats, in black and colors, regular \$3.50

Women's Silk Petticoats, in

Flannelette Garments

44c from 50c-at 69c from 75c. at \$1.19 from \$1.25.

Women's Wrappers and One-piece black and colors, excellent quality, regular \$5.00 value \$4.29

Short Skirts-At 21c from 25c-a Flannelette Gowns-At 44c from 59c at 65c from 75c-at 85c from \$1.00-

\$2.00.

\$2.49 _at 65c from 75c_at 85c from \$1.00.

Flannelette Kimonos-At 98c from

At \$2.00—reduced from \$2.75 } Crepe Kimonos

Women's Muslin Underwear \$1.25-at \$1.29 from \$1.50-at \$1.69 from derwear will be continued during the

The Sale of Women's Muslin Un-January Clearance Sale. It is the Most Dressing Sacques-At 44c from 50c Important Sale of Muslin Underwear we have ever held. Don't miss it.



AT GREATEST REDUCTIONS WE EVER MADE Women's, Misses' and Children's Trimmed Outing Hats that sold up to 69c

Untrimmed Hats Untrimmed Hats, some are Sample 25c Hats that sold at 98c-reduced to...

Untrimmed Hats in a variety of styles 48c that sold up to \$1.98—reduced to.... Many Fine Untrimmed Hats, only one of a kind at substantial reductions.

Millinery Trimmings We offer our entire line of Fancy Feathers, Ostrich Feathers, Wings, Ornaments, Etc., at reduced prices.

Women's Dresses Materials are corduroy, velvet and silk-At \$ 7.98-reduced from \$10.98 At \$11.98-reduced from \$15.00 At \$13.98—reduced from \$17.50 At \$17.50-reduced from \$20.00

Women's Waists, of Percale, Chambray, Satteen and Lawn, value 50c-Sale price. Women's Tailored and Lingerie Waists, of Embroidered Lawns and Voiles-Sale price Women's White Tailored Waists, with em-

Women's Waists

Women's White Tailored Walsts, with embroidered fronts, value \$2.98—Sale price \$1.98

broidered fronts, value \$2.00-Sale price

Women's Chiffon Waists At \$2.25-reduced from \$2.89

At \$3.25-reduced from \$3.95 Women's Chiffon, Messaline and Taffeta Waists-At \$4.48 reduced from \$5.50

At \$4.98-reduced from \$5.98

Infants' Wear Long and Short Slips, ages 6 months to 2 years-At 44c-reduced from 50c

At \$9c-reduced from \$1.00 At \$1.29-reduced from \$1.50 At \$1.69-reduced from \$2.00 At 69c-Children's Hats that sold up to \$2.00-Sale

At 19c-Knit Toques, value 25c. At 39c-Knit, Toques, value 50c.

price 69c each.

At 42c-Children's Drawer Leggins, value 50c. At 44c-Children's Outing Flannel Gowns, value 50c At \$1.25-Children's Sweaters, ages 5 and 6 years,

slightly soiled, value \$1.75.

Children's Coats Black Caracul and Bearskin, ages 2 to 6 years-At \$1.98—reduced from \$2.50. At \$2.50—reduced from \$3.25

At \$2.98-reduced from \$3.98

Children's Gingham Dresses

At 79c-reduced from 98c At \$1.29-reduced from \$1.50 Blanket Bath Robes

At \$1.29—fancy, from \$1.25 At \$1.29—fancy, from \$1.50 At \$1.69—fancy, from \$2.00 At \$2.69—fancy, from \$3.50 to wear, at this store.



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BOSTON CHICAGO NEW YORK

Today's Weather Forecast: or Southern New England, Cloudy Inesday; Thursday fair; moderate hweat winds Predictions from the New York Herid: On Wednesday it will be mostly
air, preceded by local rain or snow
a northern New England, with more
rately low temperatures and from
ariable winds. The outlook for Thursday is participated to cloudy, with eight temperature changes, probably followed

rain or snow. Observations in Norwich. The following records, reported from Sevin's pharmacy, show the changes in temperature and the barometric changes Tuesday:

Highest 50, lowest 36. Comparisons.

Predictions for Tuesday: Fair and omewhat cooler. Tuesday's weather: Fair, warmer, CHARLES W. COMSTOCK

SUES CITY OF NORWICH verflow of Water Injured His Building to Extent of \$5,000, He Claims-Expert Testimony Tuesday.

Following the Christmas recess the superior court of the New London county convened in this city on Tues-iay morning at 8 o'clock with Judge Milton A. Shumway on the bench. This tury was immorabled.

Milton A. Shumway on the bench. This
jury was impanelled:
Henry Johnson. Preston: William
Crary, Colchester: Andraw T. Tinker,
Griswold: Edward A. Stiles, Lebanon:
Edward W. Jones, North Stoyington,
J. Edwin Thompson, North Stoyington,
Griswold: Edward A. Stiles, Lebanon:
Edward W. Jones, North Stoyington,
J. Luther Holton, Franklin.
Moses Genard, Sprague: Herbert C.
Watson, Sprague: Charles Smith, Lisbon; Charles M. Winchester, Salem.

Seeks \$5.000 Pressess.

Seeks \$5,000 Damages. The case of Charles W. Comstock against the city of Norwich was called and Attorneys Shields and Families were there for their respective clients. The suit is one brought to recover The suit is one brought to recover damages caused by an overflow from the mill pond on Boswell avenue to the plaintiff's building on Pond street in 1909. The damage to the walls and floors and roof of the building it is claimed amounted to \$5,000. Some time before this freshet occurred Mr. Comstock had sold the mill pond to the city, and it had been filled in. The overflow from this made land, went down Pond street and washed aways the foundation wall on the Pond street side of the building and did other damage.

damage... On Stand Until 4 O'Clock. On Stand Until 4 O'Clock,
City Engineer George A. Pitcher and
the first witness called to the stand
and he was on all day up to 4.04
o'clock giving facts and figures at
to the layout of the pind and the
streets and sidewalks, culverts and
spillways between it and Mr. Come
stock's building. A large map
early introduced and photographs were
also in evidence. City council records
were brought in at some length. Mr. were brought in at some length, Mr. Pitcher was not city engineer at the time of the damage in question.

William Ince Found Much Water After Mr. Pitcher had been dismissed after his long stretch on the stand. William Ince of 425 Main street was called. He testified that at the time, of the freshet he was conducting a wood business in this city and was occupying the basement of the Comstock building with his wood two wagons and two horses. He came down to the building at 5.45 o'clock on the wagons and two horses. He came down to the building at 5.45 o'clock on the morning after the overflow and he described the condition of the place at length. Water was flowing down the sidewalk and had washed out a hole in it and from the sidewalk it was pouring into his basement. One of his wagons was almost filled with stones that had fallen out of the foundation, wall. The water was up to his show. wall. The water was up to his shortops on the floor. Later he helped William H. Covey move some of his picter machinery, on the second floor, In the floor was bending down. He had never seen water coming down the street sidewalk before. Ince's examination was concluded as 4.30 and then Judge Shunway adjourned court until this morning as 10 o'clock. It will also come in on Thursday. All the other cases on the assignment list have been excused and the Comstock case will therefore be the last case for the term.

The recent rains have filled the ponds so that a good crop of ice one be harvested if freezing weather sets in soon.

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City of Norwich Water Works.

Office of
Board of Water Commissioners.

Norwich, Conn., Dec. 31, 1912.
Water rates for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1912, are due and payable at the office Jan. 1, 1913. Office open from 8.30 a. m. to 5 p. m. and on the evenings of Jan. 18 and Jan. 20 from 7 to 8.

Additions will be made to all bills remaining unpaid after Jan. 10.

JOHN J. SHEA, Cashier, jan.14